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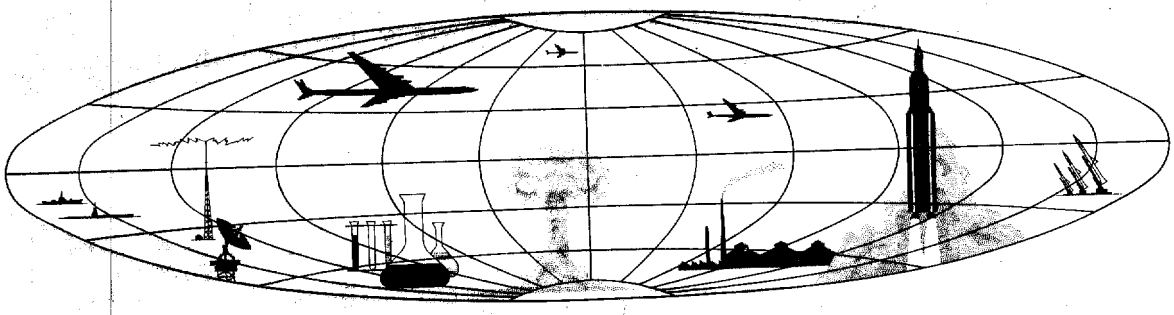

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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3382, DATED 22 JANUARY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1D

CHAPARRA SAM SITE 2107N 07626W [redacted]

SITE APPEARS ABANDONED. NO EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D

MANZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W [redacted]

SITE CONTAINS 6 LAUNCHERS IN REVETTED POSITIONS AND 7 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS.
GUIDANCE AREA APPEARS COMPLETE.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D

SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE 1959N 07550W [redacted]

SITE CONTAINS 5 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 2 POSSIBLE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 6 UNREVETTED LAUNCH POSITIONS WITH 6 LAUNCHERS (ONE WITH POSSIBLE MISSILE).

25X1 [redacted]

25X1D

SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2003N 07553W [redacted]

SITE CONTAINS 24 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 11 PRIME MOVERS, 40 TRUCKS, 4 LARGE OPEN-BED TRUCKS, AND NUMEROUS MISSILE CANISTERS.

25X1D [redacted]

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-AIRFIELDS-

25X1D [redacted]

HOLGUIN AIRFIELD 2048N 07618W

AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED.
POSSIBLE VEHICLES REPORTED ON [redacted] ARE NOT VISIBLE.

25X1 25X1D [redacted]

25X1D [redacted]

ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N 07550W

AIRCRAFT -- 7 LIAISON, ONE HOUND.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D [redacted]

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2219N 08025W

AIRCRAFT -- ONE CRATE.

25X1D [redacted]

-PORTS-

25X1D [redacted]

BANES PORT 2055N 07542W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.
25X1D OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

[redacted]

25X1D [redacted]

CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

VESSELS -- 3 FREIGHTERS, 3 PT, 6 PATROL CRAFT.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT NOTED.
25X1D

[redacted]

25X1D [redacted]

MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

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25X1D

SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT 2001N 07550W [redacted]

VESSELS -- 2 LARGE FREIGHTERS, ONE SMALL TANKER, AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D

CASILDA PORT 2145N 07959W [redacted]

VESSELS -- NONE OBSERVED.
NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT NOTED.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D

PUERTO PADRE PORT 2113N 07632W [redacted]

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.
25X1D OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

[redacted]

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

25X1D

MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2017N 07706W [redacted]

25X1D SEVEN POSSIBLE TANKS OBSERVED.
OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

[redacted]

25X1D

HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2053N 07614W [redacted]

FORTY-NINE PROBABLE TANKS OBSERVED.
NO OTHER APPARENT CHANGE SINCE [redacted] 25X1

25X1D [redacted]

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25X1D

EL JUCARO MILITARY AREA 2051N Ø7543W [redacted]

NO VEHICLES OR MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D

SAN GERMAN MILITARY ACTIVITY 2028N Ø7559W [redacted]

SITE INCLUDES 9 BUILDINGS, 31 SQUAD TENTS, 12 CARGO TRUCKS. EXTENSIVE TRACK ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D

LAS VILLAS AREA OF SPECIAL INTEREST 2146N Ø7959W [redacted]

ELEVEN TRACKED VEHICLES, 6 OTHER VEHICLES, 7 CANVAS-COVERED PIECES OF EQUIPMENT, AND 5 TENTS OBSERVED AT GUN PARK .5 NM NE OF BUENA VISTA.

[redacted] 25X1D

25X1D

SIBONEY AREA, LANDING BEACH 1957N Ø7542W [redacted]

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

25X1D

MAR VERDE, LANDING BEACH 1957N Ø7557W [redacted]

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D [redacted]

[redacted] 25X1D

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25X1D [redacted] 25X1D

TWENTY-ONE CRATES (APPROXIMATELY [redacted] 25X1
ROAD APPEARS TO BE OPEN.

25X1D [redacted]

-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

MISSION 3382 DID NOT COVER TARGETS WEST OF 81 DEGREES WEST LONGITUDE.

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE --

CASILDA, MISSILE EQUIPMENT AREA	2146N 07958W
CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE	2202N 08024W
LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2156N 08019W
TRINIDAD AIRFIELD	2147N 07959W
SAN GERMAN AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2029N 07559W
[redacted]	
CIENFUEGOS, BEACH	2202N 08036W
ENSENADA COLORADO, LANDING BEACH	2202N 08025W

25X1D

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

SANTA BARBARA, SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY	2012N 07634W
PEPU (PEPUS), SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY	2016N 07620W
SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE	2147N 07929W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE	2142N 07850W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2151N 07844W
MALDONADO SAM SITE	2012N 07528W
BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE	2058N 07538W
CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD	2125N 07751W
BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD	2023N 07638W
CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION NO 1	2121N 07750W
CAMAGUEY AREA, SMALL MILITARY CAMP	2126N 07753W
NICARO, LANDING BEACH	2042N 07533W
MAYARI ARRIBA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2029N 07530W
[redacted]	

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED, OR WERE NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER

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OR OTHER CONDITIONS --

25X1D

SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1	2243N	Ø8ØØ1W
SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2	2239N	Ø7951W
REMEDIOS IRBM SITE	2225N	Ø7935W
BARTOLOME (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY	2226N	Ø7934W
SALAMANCA (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY	2227N	Ø794ØW
SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE	2251N	Ø8ØØ5W
CAIBARIEN SAM SITE	2228N	Ø7929W
LOS ANGELES SAM SITE	21ØØN	Ø7541W
JIGUANI SAM SITE	2Ø21N	Ø762ØW
MANATI SAM SITE	2113N	Ø77Ø2W
SENADO SAM SITE	2136N	Ø7733W
CHAMBAS SAM SITE	2213N	Ø7853W
ESMERALDA SAM SITE	2155N	Ø7813W
DELEITE SAM SITE	2259N	Ø8Ø45W
DELEITE ALTERNATE SAM SITE	23Ø1N	Ø8Ø44W
CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2236N	Ø8ØØ5W
VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	21Ø4N	Ø77ØØW
CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD	2229N	Ø7955W
LOS CANOS AIRFIELD	2ØØ4N	Ø75Ø9W
CAYO LARGO AIRFIELD	2137N	Ø8133W
PUNTA ALEGRE PORT	2223N	Ø7847W
BARACOA PORT	2Ø21N	Ø743ØW
MOA BAY PORT	2Ø39N	Ø7454W
NUEVITAS PORT	2132N	Ø7716W
LA ISABELA PORT	2256N	Ø8ØØ1W
CAIBARIEN PORT	2232N	Ø7928W
GUANTANAMO AREA 1	2Ø05N	Ø7523W
REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2227N	Ø7934W
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2221N	Ø7957W
VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2Ø54N	Ø7655W
PLAYA YATERITAS, LANDING BEACH	1959N	Ø7458W
LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION	22Ø8N	Ø8ØØ4W
SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2224N	Ø7953W
MANICARAGUA AREA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE	22Ø6N	Ø7958W

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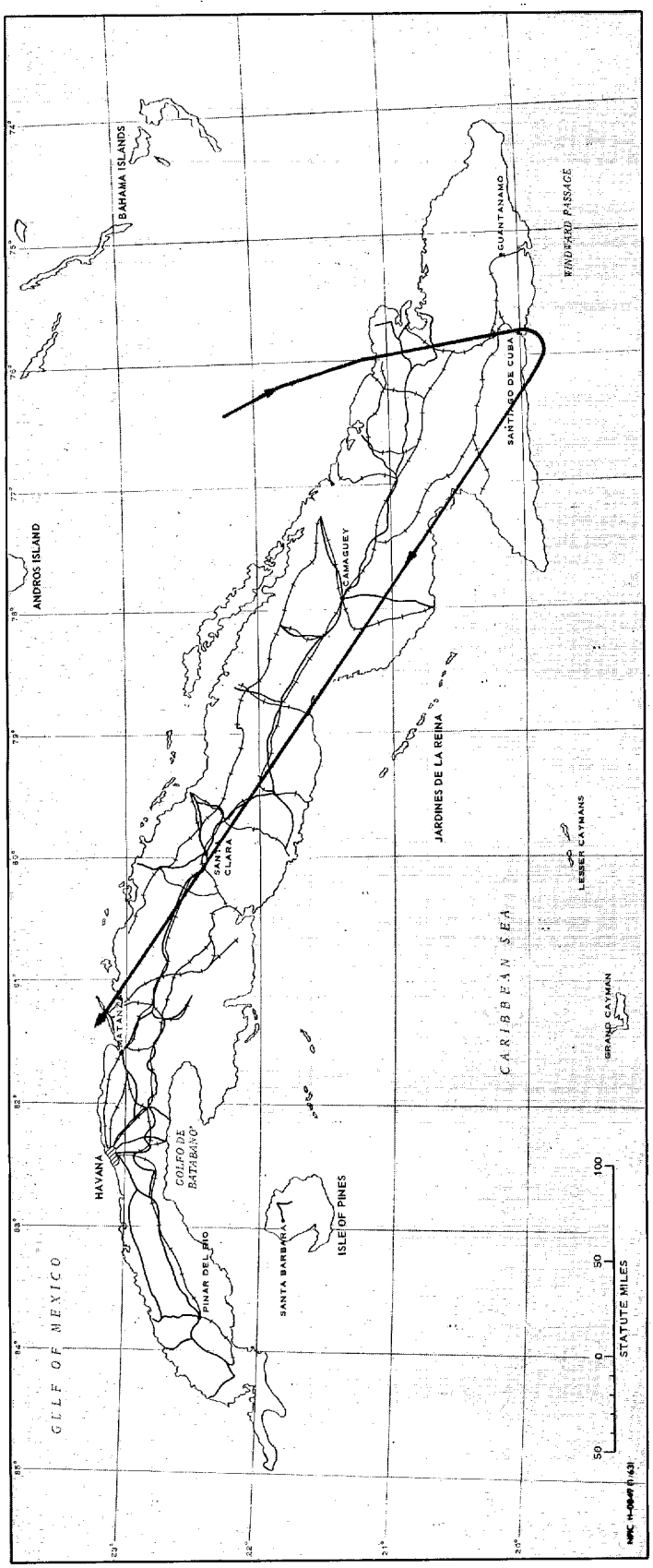

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